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 Assignee: **Samsung Electronics, Ltd.**
 Title: **Backlight Assembly And Liquid Crystal Display Device Having The Same**
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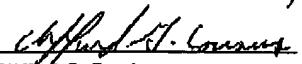
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